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CLAIMS:

We claim:

- 1. A method of treating Pseudomonas aeruginosa infection comprising inoculating a patient with an effective amount of isolated PcrV protein from Pseudomonas aeruginosa, wherein the amount of protein is sufficient to show moderation or reduction of Pseudomonas aeruginosa infection as compared to control subjects.
- 2. The method of claim 1 wherein the patient is inoculated with recombinant PcrV protein.
- 3. The method of Claim 1 wherein the patient is a human patient.
- 4. A method of treating a Pseudomonas aeruginosa infection comprising the step of inoculating a Pseudomonas aeruginosa-infected patient with an effective amount of isolated PcrV protein from Pseudomonas aeruginosa, wherein the amount of protein is sufficient to show moderation or reduction of Pseudomonas aeruginosa infection as compared to control subjects.

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ABSTRACT:

A method of inhibiting, moderating or diagnosing Pseudomonas aeruginosa infection is disclosed. In one embodiment, this method comprises inoculating a patient with an effective amount of PcrV antigen.

4 Claims, 5 Drawing figures